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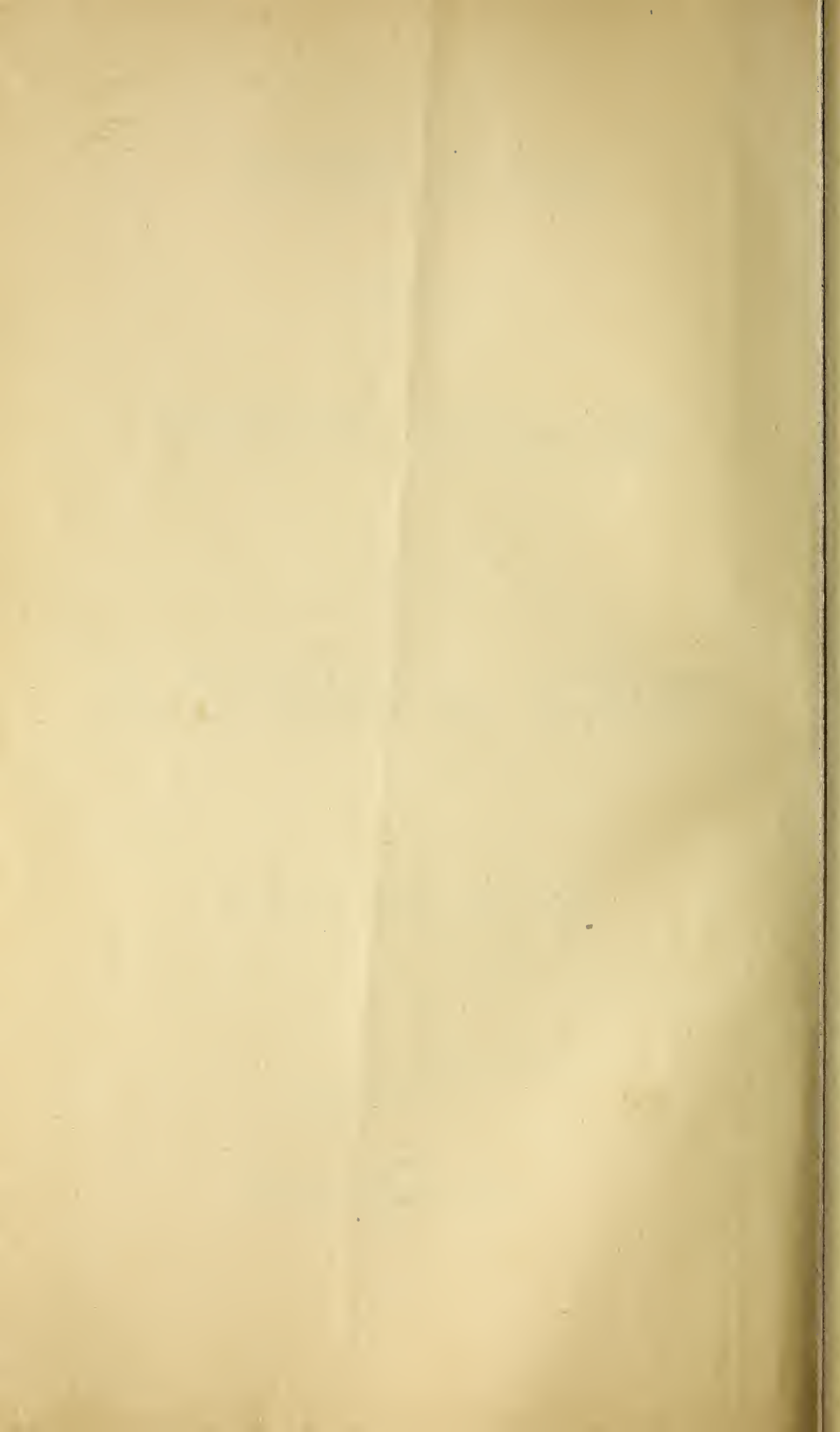
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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The seventeenth annual report of the Selectmen, Treasurer and Supervisor of Schools of the town of Corinna for the year ending March 1st, 1894.

Valuation of resident real estate April 1, 1893,	\$307,735 00
“ non-resident real estate, ...	22,950 00
“ personal estate, ...	78,071 00
Total, ...	\$408,756 00
Amount raised to defray town charges, ...	\$1,200 00
“ for support of schools, ...	1,150 00
“ to purchase school books, ...	100 00
“ to repair school buildings, ...	200 00
“ to expend on highway, ...	2,000 00
“ to build sewer, ...	600 00
“ for Mower bridge, ...	900 00
“ for J. Knowles Post, ...	25 00
Amount of State tax, ...	1,354 46
“ “ County tax, ...	327 13
“ “ overlays, ...	319 45
Total amount assessed, ...	\$8,176 04

The above amount, eight thousand, one hundred and seventy-six dollars and four cents, (\$8176 04,) was committed to Henry J. Seavey for collection May 16, 1893.

Number of polls, 266; tax on poll, \$2.00,
Rate of taxation, \$1.87 per \$100.

BILLS PAID FOR SUPPORT OF POOR AWAY FROM FARM.

Insane Hospital on account of Mary J. Maines,		\$144	36
O. H. Merrill, medical attendance to J. J. Blaisdell,		7	10
O. H. Bachelder, on account of Thomas Hinton,		3	19
Daniel F. Davis, on account of J. H. Sawyer,		100	50
A. L. Grant, board of transient paupers,		10	50
Frank Babb, on account of Sarah Babb,	\$14	00	
J. P. Curtis, " " " "	90	14	90
Town of Willimantic on account of Amos Holt,	55	12	
C. J. Trickey, on account of Amos Holt,	4	82	59 84
J. P. Curtis, on account of Mrs. Remic,	9	04	
Mary A. Welch, on account of Mrs. Remic,	12	00	
J. A. Tabor, medical attendance for Mrs. Remic,	3	00	24 04
J. P. Curtis, on account Mary Harmon,	68		
J. S. Dearborn, " " "	25	50	
J. S. Burrill, " " "	2	51	
F. B. Shaw, " " "	7	59	
Frank Hollis, " " "	1	61	37 89
C. H. Smith, " Annie M. Dearborn,	32	00	
Town of Hampden, " " "	28	00	
J. A. Tabor, M. D., " " "	6	00	
C. J. Trickey, " " "	5	60	71 60
Total,		\$474	02
Received of J. S. Burrill, guardian of Mary J. Maines,		\$136	80
" Town of Newport on acc't of Thomas Hinton,		3	19
Total,		\$139	99
Cost of poor away from farm,		\$334	03

TOWN FARM.

April 8, 1893, the farm and property thereon (\$595.03) was let to A. S. Lander for one year for which he is to pay \$100 rent, and he is to receive \$1.50 per week for board of paupers,

Appraisal of property on farm, March 1st, 1893,		\$552	03
Paid A. S. Lander for board of paupers :			
D. S. Knowles' child, 52 weeks,		78	00
Sarah Babb, 39 1-2 weeks,		59	25
Paid for sheep,		14	00
Paid F. B. Shaw, for grass seed,		2	88
Total,		\$706	16
Appraisal of property March 1st, 1894,	\$552	03	
Received of A. S. Lander, balance due for rent of farm, 1892,		34	50
Due from A. S. Lander, to be settled April 8th, 1894,		90	00
		\$676	53
Against the farm,		\$29	63

EXPENSES OF MOWER BRIDGE.

N. R. Packard, labor on Mower bridge,					\$ 4 50
Almon Lawrence,	"	"	"		16 50
E. A. Philbrick,	"	"	"		34 00
Mower & Cole,	"	"	"		42 93
C. H. Sampson,	"	"	"		20 80
Parris Smith,	"	"	"		3 00
Albert Knowles,	"	"	"		28 12
Fred Weed,	"	"	"		48 12
H. J. Weymouth,	"	"	"		150 50
L. H. Weymouth,	"	"	"		18 00
Leonard L. Stafford,	"	"	"		31 50
Chester Curtis,	"	"	"		1 50
Joseph Weymouth, labor and material on Mower bridge,					10 00
O. T. Percival,	"	"	"	"	11 30
C. L. Additon,	"	"	"	"	8 50
W. H. Welch,	"	"	"	"	238 25
Wm. Thompson,	"	"	"	"	7 50
Henry F. Weymouth,	"	"	"	"	6 26
C. J. Trickey,	"	"	"	"	40 35
E. L. Weymouth,	"	"	"	"	9 75
J. G. Moody,	"	"	"	"	28 00
L. Hutchins,	"	"	"	"	1 25
Total,	.	.	.	.	\$760 63

EXPENSE OF VILLAGE SEWER.

Winslow & Co., sewer pipe,					\$202 01
M. C. R. R., freight on pipe,					35 00
A. L. Grant, boarding Henry Laclair,					4 00
J. S. Burrill, expense to Portland,					12 81
P. H. Coombs, survey and plan of sewer,					25 94
W. H. Welch, labor on sewer,					4 50
Moses Southard,	"	"			5 25
J. S. Burrill,	"	"			26 50
S. Fowles,	"	"			5 91
J. E. Gray, iron for sewer,					6 91
Wesley Burrill, labor on village sewer,					1 50
Frank White,	"	"			2 10
J. G. Shaw,	"	"			10 80
F. B. Shaw,	"	"			1 50
J. C. Pease,	"	"			12 15
Preston Knowles,	"	"			18 60
Ira White,	"	"			7 80
Walter and Clarence Clark, labor on village sewer,					5 10

Henry J. Cowan, labor on village sewer,	.	.	.	1	50
James Davis,	"	"	.	14	55
Ambrose Arnold,	"	"	.	8	55
Henry Laclair,	"	"	.	18	60
Ellyn White,	"	"	.	2	00
Bert Lancaster,	"	"	.	2	00
Henry and Andrew Willey, labor on village sewer,	.	.	.	8	40
Omer Southard, labor on village sewer,	.	.	.	4	50
J. B. Ross,	"	"	.	9	30
I. M. Bates,	"	"	.	1	50
Isaiah Pratt,	"	"	.	1	50
Eddie Steward,	"	"	.	3	70
Foster Brooks,	"	"	.	5	40
Francis Lincoln,	"	"	.	2	55
Simeon Brown,	"	"	.	2	55
Will Nutt,	"	"	.		75
W. A. Southard,	"	"	.	2	25
Chester Curtis,	"	"	.	3	75
George Kendall,	"	"	.	6	30
Total,	.	.	.	\$488	03

HIGHWAYS.

By whom expended. Spring and summer.			By whom expended. Winter.		
Wm. Thompson,	.	\$ 34 25	Leonard Mason,	.	\$ 56 23
J. H. Burrill,	.	3 48	F. W. Hayden,	.	60 27
C. A. Cooley,	.	25 62	Stephen Lincoln,	.	42 82
F. E. Day,	.	3 00	Lyford Robinson,	.	30 75
H. B. Rackliffe,	.	29 25	G. B. Tasker,	.	18 60
A. H. Emery,	.	22 20	C. A. Cooley,	.	48 02
L. D. Burgess,	.	12 25	F. M. Burton,	.	50 34
M. P. White,	.	9 19	Preston Knowles,	.	44 08
Frank Proctor,	.	51	A. L. Hayden,	.	44 25
I. M. Barker,	.	30 97	D. P. Dearborn,	.	31 28
J. C. Pease,	.	45	P. H. Simpson,	.	25 11
Abijah Crane,	.	18 07	F. H. Crowell,	.	44 20
I. P. Chase,	.	23 13	S. L. Crowell,	.	46 15
J. F. Stubbs,	.	5 03	Ruel McPherson,	.	61 13
Granville E. Hayden,	.	3 45	Grant Veazie,	.	77 93
J. S. Dearborn,	.	4 00	Seth Lancaster,	.	57 28
H. W. Knowles,	.	27 00	Abner Brooks,	.	46 35
J. B. Ross,	.	7 50	H. J. Seavey,	.	21 05
I. M. Bates,	.	5 87	John Bigelow,	.	46 54
D. R. Palmer,	.	33 33	Perley Hall,	.	9 30
E. M. Katen,	.	3 45	W. H. Snell, Jr.,	.	24 65
R. A. Blanchard,	.	28 60	D. C. Lyford,	.	30 67
W. H. Snell, Jr.,	.	6 00	J. B. Ross,	.	18 20

Geo. A. Shepherd, . . .	8 50	J. S. Burrill, . . .	26 05
Israel Dearborn, . . .	12 34	H. W. Knowles, . . .	66 63
Roby White, . . .	10 84	G. A. Tibbetts, . . .	32 00
Horace Dearborn, . . .	17 58	J. S. Dearborn, . . .	45 45
C. H. Miller, . . .	6 90	E. H. Burgess, . . .	9 56
A. J. Jones, . . .	1 40	Mark Bond, . . .	84 45
James Oliver, . . .	1 50	N. R. Packard, . . .	30 00
Mark Bond, . . .	51 65	N. L. Weed, . . .	46 82
O. W. Ireland, . . .	6 71	E. S. Knowles, . . .	26 80
John McPherson, . . .	318 16	Israel Dearborn, . . .	48 61
F. W. Hayden, . . .	2 90	J. B. Tibbetts, . . .	51 35
G. B. Fisher, . . .	3 25	Hiram Lawrence, . . .	17 75
C. A. True, . . .	2 02	D. R. Palmer, . . .	16 50
H. W. White, . . .	3 00	G. B. Fisher, . . .	3 00
W. B. Gould, material,	28 50	I. H. Crowell, . . .	30 95
H. J. Cooley, . . .	24 00		
F. W. Nutt, . . .	13 50	Total, . . .	\$1,471 12
G. B. Tasker, . . .	20 75		
Wesley Burrill, . . .	24 75		
John Ireland, material,	73 92		
L. B. Hatch, . . .	13 75		
Lyford Robinson, . . .	11 25		
F. A. Sawtelle, . . .	10 40		
F. H. Crowell, . . .	18 30		
J. E. Gray, supplies, . .	2 29		
E. Dunning, . . .	4 00		
A. L. Hayden, . . .	16 60		
R. S. Knowles, . . .	20 42		
S. L. Crowell, . . .	5 50		
Charles Knowles, . . .	3 50		
T. F. Burrill, . . .	10 90		
Frank Leighton, . . .	3 50		
N. R. Packard, . . .	25 67		
C. C. Knowles, . . .	19 00		
H. W. Knowles, . . .	13 00		
E. H. Burgess, . . .	3 00		
Mark Bond, . . .	17 00		
L. C. Knox, water tank and fence, . . .	3 45		
L. B. Hatch, . . .	2 00		
D. P. Dearborn, . . .	21 90		
J. Weymouth, water tank, two years, . . .	6 00		
W. B. Gould, lumber for bridges, . . .	2 75		
I. H. Crowell, . . .	7 50		
Total, . . .	\$1,210 45		

EXPENSE OF ROAD MACHINE.

Paid Joseph Williams, ...	\$200 00
" " 	59 00
" " 	12 50
Paid Harry Weymouth, ...	28 00
" " 	120 00
Paid Mark Bond, ...	9 75
Paid Tyler & Conant, ...	8 50
Total, ...	<u>\$437 75</u>

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

W. A. Copeland, services as moderator, ...	\$ 2 00
Will Burrill, coal for office, ...	1 00
F. B. Shaw, grass seed for town farm, ...	2 88
John Bigelow, painting Center yard fence, ...	3 58
J. E. Gray, wire and staples for fence, ...	158 19
I. M. Bates, sheep for town farm, ...	14 00
D. Bugbee & Co., blank books, ...	4 25
Jonathan Libby, damage for 2 sheep, ...	6 50
J. S. Burrill, keeping town books and stationery, ...	14 00
Crosby & Crosby, legal advice, ...	2 00
J. S. Burrill, recording inventory, ...	8 00
G. B. Fisher, care of town house, ...	2 00
G. B. Fisher, driving hearse, ...	20 00
Reuben Blanchard, damage on sheep, ...	7 00
John Lyford, money hired, ...	400 00
W. S. Page, " "	400 00
I. R. Lancaster, " "	60 00
Fred Young, " "	300 00
Hannah Richardson, money hired, ...	100 00
Joseph W. Luce, " "	100 00
O. H. Merrill, returning births and deaths, ...	1 00
J. P. Curtis, services on board of health, ...	5 00
Wm. Clark, burying horse, ...	1 00
D. Bugbee & Co., blank books and stationery, ...	8 50
Bunker & Warren, printing town reports, ...	19 00
G. W. Hilliker, for J. Knowles post, ...	25 00
Mary J. Seavey, interest on order No. 60., ...	25 92
W. B. Gould, surveying road around Hayden hill, ...	2 50
W. A. Southard, office rent, ...	12 00
Will I. Burrill, postage, express, etc., ...	5 15
" " recording births and deaths, ...	5 05
H. J. Seavey, posting town warrant, ...	4 50
" " killing dogs, ...	2 00
Total, ...	<u>\$1,721 02</u>

ABATEMENTS.

H. J. Seavey, collector for 1891,	\$28 66
" " " " 1892,	37 35
" " " " " on dogs killed,	23 00
Total,	<u>\$89 01</u>

PAID TOWN OFFICERS.

C. J. Trickey, services as selectman,	74 50
J. S. Burrill, " " "	62 00
I. M. Bates, " " "	40 75
Will I. Burrill, treasurer,	40 00
" " town clerk,	10 00
H. J. Seavey, services in full as collector for 1891,	9 93
" " " " " " " " 1892,	25 96
" " services in part as collector for 1893,	135 00
F. H. Snell, services as supervisor,	100 00
" " " " school agent,	15 00
Total,	<u>\$513 14</u>

REPORT OF COMMON SCHOOLS.

Amount appropriated by the town for support of schools,	\$1,150 00
received from state,	641 83
received from Ripley,	22 00
received from Dexter,	85 50
unexpended in 1892,	322 29
raised for repairs of school buildings,	200 00
raised for free text books,	100 00
Total amount for schools,	<u>\$2521 62</u>
Amount expended for schools,	\$2,468 96
expended for repairs,	122 17
expended for free text books,	88 99
Total amount expended for schools,	<u>\$2,680 12</u>
Amount overdrawn,	<u>\$158 50</u>

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES.

Paid for support of poor, ...	\$ 474 02
town officers, ...	513 14
on roads and bridges, ...	2676 11
for schools, ...	2,680 12
for Mower bridge, ...	760 63
for sewer, ...	488 03
for road machine, ...	437 75
miscellaneous expenses, ...	1,722 02
abatements, ...	89 01
interest on town orders, ...	27 48
Total, ...	<u>\$9,868 31</u>
Amount of orders turned over by treasurer, ...	\$9,868 31

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding orders, ...	\$2,992 92
Interest on same, ...	70 40
School fund note, ...	<u>1,174 93</u>
Total liabilities, ...	\$4,238 25

RESOURCES.

Due from treasurer, ...	\$1,660 79
School fund note, ...	<u>1,174 93</u>
Total resources, ...	\$2,835 72
Town debt March 1, 1894, ...	\$1,402 53
Town debt March 1, 1893, ...	<u>657 97</u>
Increase, ...	\$744 56

C. J. TRICKEY, } Selectmen
 J. S. BURRILL, } of
 I. M. BATES, } Corinna.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

WILL I. BURRILL, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF
CORINNA.

DR.

To amount of cash on hand at commencement of year,	\$280 08
“ of school fund note, ...	1,174 93
“ of tax deeds, ...	25 90
“ due from J. C. Pease, tax bills of 1889, ...	2 89
“ “ H. J. Seavey, “ “ 1891, ...	43 80
“ “ H. J. Seavey, “ “ 1892, ...	1,462 82
“ of non-resident tax bills of 1891, ...	5 54
“ “ “ “ 1892, ...	211 30
“ received of J. S. Burrill for Mary J. Maines’ pension, ...	136 80
To amount received of A. S. Lander, rent of town farm, ...	34 50
“ of tax bills committed to H. J. Seavey, 1893, ...	8,176 04
“ received of Town Clerk, dog license fees, ...	116 00
“ “ J. W. Luce, money hired, ...	100 00
“ “ W. C. Briggs, “	400 00
“ “ W. S. Page, “	400 00
“ “ Mrs. E. A. Jones, “	200 00
“ “ I. R. Lancaster, “	60 00
“ “ James Smith, “	50 00
“ “ B. R. Smith, “	150 00
“ “ David Dearborn, “	100 00
“ “ E. W. Holt, “	150 00
“ “ J. F. Lyford, “	400 00
“ “ A. Brooks, tuition received from Newport, ...	20 00
“ “ J. E. Gray, for drain pipe, ...	3 50
“ “ Wyman & Hayes, for dogs kill- ing sheep, ...	6 50
“ “ State for railroad and telegraph tax, ...	27 46
“ “ State for school fund, ...	641 83
“ “ F. S. Macomber, for drain pipe, ...	3 50
“ “ H. Q. Worthen, for tuition, ...	22 00
“ “ Newport on account of Thos. Hinton, ...	3 19
“ “ Dexter for tuition, ...	85 50
“ “ F. H. Snell for books sold, ...	1 54
“ “ R. G. Page, pedlar’s license, ...	6 00
Total, ...	\$14,501 62

WILL I. BURRILL, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF
CORINNA.

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By amount paid on orders drawn,	\$9,840 83
" " State tax in full,	1354 46
" " County tax in full,	327 13
" interest paid on orders drawn,	27 48
" paid State Treasurer, dog license fees,	116 00
" of school fund note,	1,174 93
" tax deeds,	25 90
" due from J. C. Pease, tax bills of 1889,	2 89
" " H. J. Seavey, " " 1893,	1,244 44
" of non-resident tax bills of 1891,	5 54
" " " " 1892,	14 10
" " " " 1893,	231 90
" Cash on hand,	136 02
Total,	\$14,501 62

SUPERVISOR'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1st, 1894.

TO THE CITIZENS OF CORINNA:

The financial condition of the common schools will be found by referring to the Selectmen's report; it is, therefore, needless to repeat it here.

In the following report the wages include the board and are reckoned by the week in every case.

No. 1—(Brooks.)

Summer term, 5 weeks; wages, \$5.00; whole No. registered 21; average 10									
Fall	"	10	"	"	\$6.50;	"	"	"	26; " 23 1-6
Winter	"	10	"	"	\$7.00;	"	"	"	25; " 21

The summer term was taught by Miss Jennie P. Smith. Her good discipline was more than some of the pupils could coincide with and they left school. The measles then got into the school and it seemed best to stop the school at the end of the fifth week. We think that Miss Smith was in no way to blame for the reduction in attendance and had it not been for the sickness of her pupils, the school would have been three weeks longer. The fall and winter terms were under the instruction of Miss Carrie P. Emery whose reputation as a teacher is well known; the examination showed that good progress and thorough work had been done and the universal testimony of those concerned, tells us that her work during both terms was highly commendable.

No. 2—(Bond.)

Summer term 8 weeks; wages \$5.00; whole number registered 14; average 12									
Fall	"	8	"	"	\$5.00;	"	"	"	13; " 11
Winter	"	10	"	"	\$5.25;	"	"	"	15; " 12

Miss Jennie Young taught the summer and fall terms with highly satisfactory results. Miss Young possessed those qualities that make one a successful instructor of youth.

The winter term was taught by Miss Jennie Smith. The good standing of the previous terms was maintained and in all respects the school was a success.

No. 3—(Bassett.)

Summer term 8 weeks, wages \$4.50; whole No. registered 9; average, 7.55
 Fall " 8 " " 5.50; " " " 7; " 6
 Winter " 10 " " 6.00; " " " 7; " 5.5

The summer term was under the instruction of Miss Gertrude M. Footman, an experienced and thorough teacher. Her methods are very good and her painstaking endeavors merit the success she has as a teacher.

Miss Lucy Chandler taught the fall and winter terms, both of which were pleasant and profitable. Miss Chandler is an energetic teacher and maintains excellent order in the school room and takes great pains to have all her scholars make good progression.

No. 4—(North Ridge.)

Summer term, 8 weeks, wages \$6.00; whole No. registered, 10; average 8.7
 Fall " 8 " " 6.00; " " " 13; " 10.7
 Winter " 10 " " 6.00; " " " 12; " 10.8

The summer term was taught by Miss Etta M. Currier, who is a fine scholar and an earnest worker. The work done was satisfactory except that of a few of the pupils who were themselves to blame for their failure to make good progression.

Miss Mabel Southard taught the fall and winter terms giving entire satisfaction. Miss Southard is one of our best teachers, having received Normal training at our state Normal school at Farmington.

No. 5—(Center.)

Summer term, 8 weeks, wages, \$6.00; whole No. registered 26; average 22
 Fall " 8 " " 6.00; " " " 25; " 22
 Winter " 10 " " 6.00; " " " 22; " 17

Miss Hattie Morton had charge of this school during the year and sustained her good reputation as a successful teacher.

No. 6—(Puffer.)

Summer term 8 weeks, wages \$4.50; whole No. registered 13; av. 12 17-40
 Fall " 8 " " 5.50; " " " 13; " 12
 Winter " 10 " " 6.00; " " " 14; " 10

The summer term was taught by Miss Eva A. Graves, who labored hard for the interest of her pupils and gave good satisfaction.

Frank R. French taught the fall term and although this was his first attempt he had good success and the examination at the close of the term gave evidence that the scholars had been well instructed.

The winter term was under the instruction of Frank G. Smith who continued the good work made in previous terms.

No. 7—(Village.)

Summer term, 8 weeks, wages \$8.00; whole No. registered 34; average 30
 Fall " 8 " " 10.00; " " " 41; " 33 1-3
 Winter term Grammar 10 weeks, wages \$10.00; whole No. reg. 36; av. 26 1-2
 " " Primary 10 " " 5.00; " " " 21; " 17-3

Miss Addie Miles was engaged to teach the summer term

but ill health forced her to leave the school after teaching four days. We were very fortunate in securing the services of Miss Fannie U. Greeley to finish the term. Miss Greeley is an experienced teacher, well qualified to continue the work that Miss Miles had commenced. The fall and winter terms were under the instruction of your supervisor. We believe that the work done will compare favorably with that of previous terms. The attendance of the winter term was larger than for several years, there being about sixty pupils in all; this fact alone would make it necessary to make two grades because neither room will seat more than forty-five pupils. We believe that one teacher cannot do justice to a large ungraded school, thus the necessity of having two grades. Mrs. F. H. Snell taught the Primary grade, Miss Ethie Hamilton taking her place a few weeks on account of sickness. Mrs. Snell has had experience in teaching; also has taken a Normal course of study which we think is of great benefit to a teacher.

No. 8—(Town Farm.)

Summer term 8 weeks, wages \$5.00; whole No. registered 11; average 9
 Fall " 8 " " 5.50; " " " 12; " 11.7
 Winter " 10 " " 6.00; " " " 14; " 11.5

The summer term was taught by Miss Myrtilla Smith who was well at home having taught this school several terms before. Miss Smith is an experienced, well-qualified teacher, having good success wherever she goes.

The fall term was taught by Miss Etta Currier. The examination, at the close of this term, showed that fair advancement had been made.

Mr. Nathan Turner taught the winter term with results similar to those of previous terms. There seems to be lack of enthusiasm in this school; considerable urging and persevering effort is needed to insure success.

No. 9—(Mower.)

Summer term 10 weeks, wages \$4.75; whole No. registered 17; average 13.5
 Fall " 8 " " \$5.75; " " " 16; " 14.7
 Winter " 10 " " \$6.75; " " " 16; " 13.2

The summer and fall terms were under the instruction of Miss Arrie Pratt, who at once won the good will of her pupils. The school progressed finely and she secured well merited praise for her diligent service.

Miss Gertrude Footman taught the winter term with her usual success.

No. 10—(Morse's Corner.)

Summer term 8 weeks, wages \$5.50; whole No. registered 11; average 9.5
 Fall " 8 " " \$5.50; " " " 13; " 9.9
 Winter " 10 " " \$6.00; " " " 10; " 7.1-2

The summer term taught by Miss Lucy Chandler was a

profitable term. We consider Miss Chandler a fine teacher.

Miss Gertrude Footman taught the fall term. This term was equally as profitable as the previous term. Good satisfaction was given in the winter term by Miss Myrtila Smith.

No. 11—(Pleasant Vale.)

Summer term 10 weeks, wages \$4.50; whole number registered 11; average 9
Fall " 10 " " \$4.50; " " " 11; " 9

Both terms were taught by Miss Ethie Hamilton, who labored for the advancement of her pupils and made commendable progress.

No. 12—(Greenbush.)

Summer term 10 weeks, wages \$4.75; whole No. registered 13; average 6 1-3

Fall term 10 weeks, conveyed to No. 1 for \$25.

Winter term 10 weeks, conveyed to No. 1 for \$20.

The summer term was taught by Miss Jennie White. This was Miss White's first attempt at teaching but she labored hard to win for herself a good reputation as a teacher and her attempts were successful.

The fall and winter terms the scholars were conveyed to No. 1 to their great advantage.

No. 15—(Deannville.)

Summer term 8 weeks, wages \$4.50; whole number registered 9; average 8

Fall " 8 " " \$5.00; " " " 6; " 5 7-8

Winter " 10 " " \$5.00; " " " 7; " 6

The summer and fall terms were taught by Miss Sadie Ireland. This was Miss Ireland's first attempt but both terms were pleasant and profitable.

Miss Ada Burrill taught the winter term with good success.

No. 17—Southard's Mills.)

Summer term 8 weeks, wages \$4.50; whole number registered 12; average 11

Fall " 8 " " \$4.75; " " " 12; " 11

Winter " 10 " " \$6.00; " " " 18; " 17

The summer and fall terms were taught by Miss Ada Burrill. The examination at the close showed that good work had been done.

The winter term was taught by F. R. French with satisfactory results.

REMARKS.

The supervision of our common schools has, for the past year, been in the hands of one inexperienced; yet your supervisor has spared no pains in trying to give satisfaction and justice to all. That mistakes have been made we do not doubt, but we humbly ask pardon of any who think they have, by us, been wronged. And for the kind assistance rendered by the patrons of our schools, I wish to return my sincere thanks.

There is one complaint that school officials almost always

have to make and that is, the small apparent interest of parents in the schools. As shown by the registers, but few of our citizens have visited the schools during the past year. There has been but little outward manifestation of interest or sympathy for the teacher. Our schools would prosper very much better were this condition of affairs reversed. You cannot expect your children to be interested in their school unless you are interested also. We must remember that education has its foundation in the home. You ought to encourage your scholars in their studies. See that they attend school regularly and have them feel and understand that they must do this. This is your duty to your children and the school. No teacher can have success unless they have good government in their school. How foolish a thing it is, then, for a parent to criticise the teacher and take his scholars out of school for no other reason than that the scholar has received a well-merited punishment. This course always injures the school, teaches the scholar rebellion and ultimately makes the school a failure. You and your scholars, in such a case, are the sole losers. When you have performed your duty as parent you may be then ready to censure the teacher, not before.

The teachers employed during the past year have, as a rule, been experienced and well qualified, thus ensuring successful schools. The scholars in district No. 12 were conveyed to No. 1 during the fall and winter terms, which was an economical way of giving to them the much needed opportunity for attending school a longer time than in previous years. The universal testimony of all connected with this district informs us of the entire success of this plan. We now think that this plan might be extended to other districts to an advantage. The amount paid out for text books did not exceed the appropriation this year, but many books now in the schools are wholly unfit for use. Such books tend to cause the pupils to lose interest in their work. We would recommend that these damaged books be repaired so far as is possible, and that some new ones be procured, so that the youth shall not be discouraged by the lack of good text books.

Respectfully submitted,

F. H. SNELL, Supervisor of Schools.

SCHOOL AGENT'S REPORT.

The expense of schools in this town for the year ending March 1, 1894, will be found in the report of the Selectmen on a preceding page of this town report. The balance sheet this year in itself looks less favorable than in previous years. The cause of this is three-fold: The amount received from the state is about \$130 less than last year, owing to the decrease in the number of scholars in our town. The total number of weeks that schools have been in session this year is 353, and adding the 20 weeks that the scholars in No. 12 were conveyed to No. 1 makes an actual total of 373 weeks, which is quite an increase over some previous years. The wages paid to teachers has been increasing from year to year a little for some time. We have found it difficult to obtain the services of such teachers as we need without advancing in some cases the wages of instructors this year. Many orders which should have been drawn last year were not drawn until this year, while this year's orders have all been drawn, unless it be one or two very small ones.

We have made it our aim to make the school privileges as near equal as possible in the several districts, as that is the germ thought of adopting the present town system; consequently some districts have received more schooling than before, while others have been used about the same as usual.

The schoolhouse in district No. 3 has had quite extensive repairs, being sheathed overhead and having two coats of paint outside. The walls of the house in district No. 4 have been sheathed with half-inch lumber, which we think will be cheaper than plastering in the end. New platforms have been constructed in districts No. 3, 4, 9 and 15. A new stove has been put into the house in No. 2. The blackboards in many districts have received a coat of liquid slating. These, with a few minor repairs, constitute the amount of work done in this direction this year. The whole expense of repairs is a little below the appropriation of \$200.

F. H. SNELL, School Agent.

TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF MAINE.

TO HENRY J. SEAVEY, A CONSTABLE IN THE TOWN OF CORINNA,
COUNTY OF PENOBSBOT. GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Corinna qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the town house in said town, on Monday the twelfth day of March, inst., at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

- ART. 1.—To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- ART. 2.—To choose a town clerk and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year as required by law.
- ART. 3.—To see what sum of money the town will raise to defray town charges.
- ART. 4.—To see what sum of money the town will raise for support of schools.
- ART. 5.—To see what sum of money the town will raise to pay on town debt.
- ART. 6.—To see what sum of money the town will raise to purchase school books.
- ART. 7.—To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair the school buildings.
- ART. 8.—To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair roads and bridges and determine the manner in which the same shall be expended.
- ART. 9.—To see what sum of money the town will raise to run road machine and determine the manner in which the same shall be expended.
- ART. 10.—To see if the town will vote to repair the town house and raise a sum of money for that purpose.
- ART. 11.—To see if the town will vote to buy a lot of land and build a town hall thereon and to raise a sum of money for that purpose, and determine how it shall be expended.
- ART. 12.—To see what disposal the town will make of the town farm for the year ensuing.
- ART. 13.—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for J. Knowles Post for Memorial Day.
- ART. 14.—To see if the town will vote to accept the road as

laid out by the selectmen around the Hayden hill so called, and raise a sum of money to build the same.

ART. 15.—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to build a fence around Morse's Corner cemetery.

ART. 16.—To see if the town will vote to raise one hundred dollars to be expended on the road leading from Abner Brooks' corner north by the Furber place.

ART. 17.—To see if the town will vote to raise thirty-eight (\$38) to pay H. B. Rackliff for his water tank, put in for the benefit of the public.

ART. 18.—To see what action the town will take in regard to the Will Bemis affair.

ART. 19.—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to purchase the school property owned by the several school districts in town.

The selectmen give notice that they shall be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters in said town and hearing and deciding upon the application of persons claiming to have their names entered upon said list, at the town house at eight o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 3d day of March, A. D., 1894.

C. J. TRICKEY,	} Selectmen
J. S. BURRILL,	
I. M. BATES,	

A true copy. Attest:

H. J. SEAVEY,

Constable of the Town of Corinna.





J. C. Brown

ANNUAL REPORT

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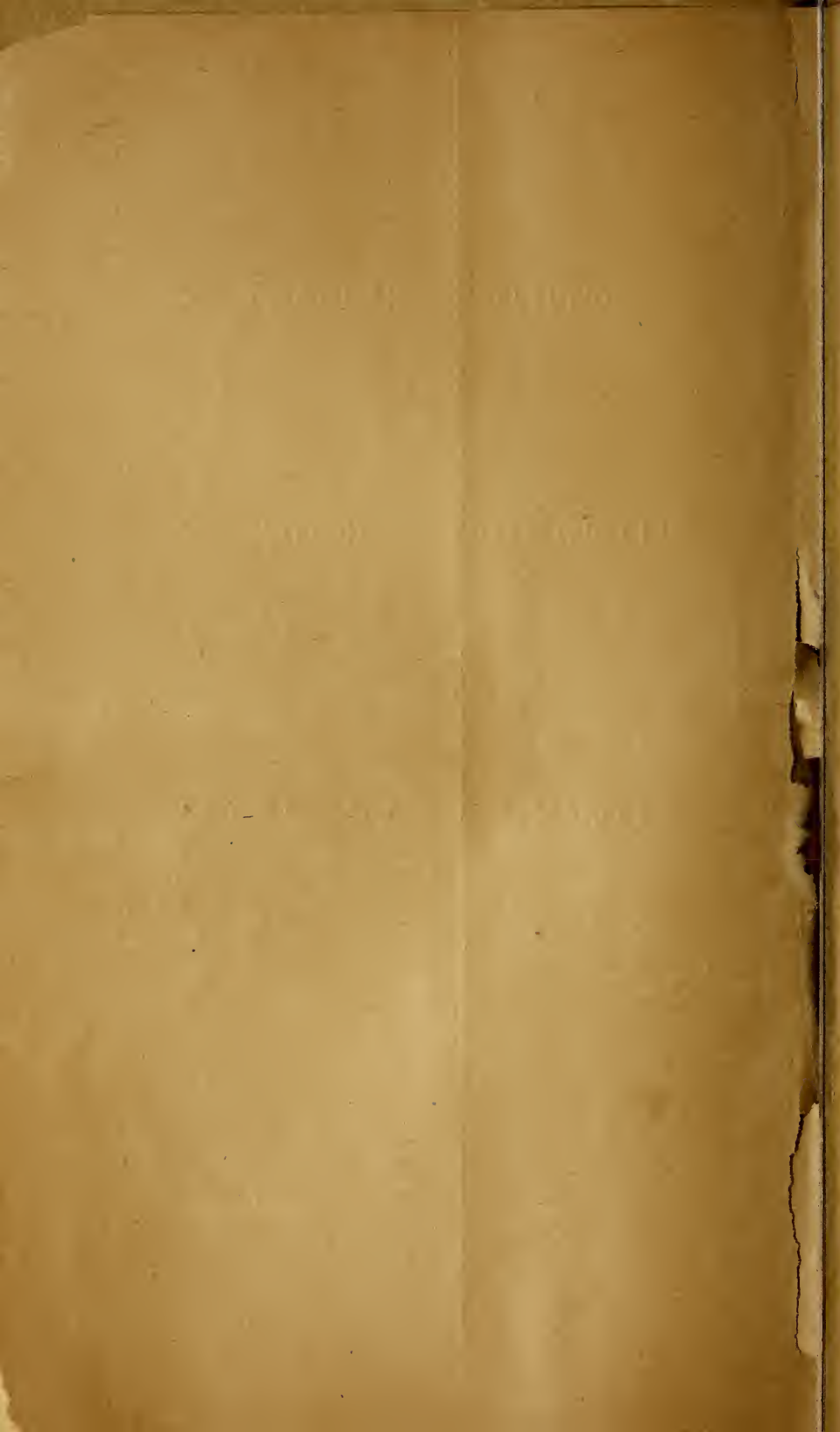
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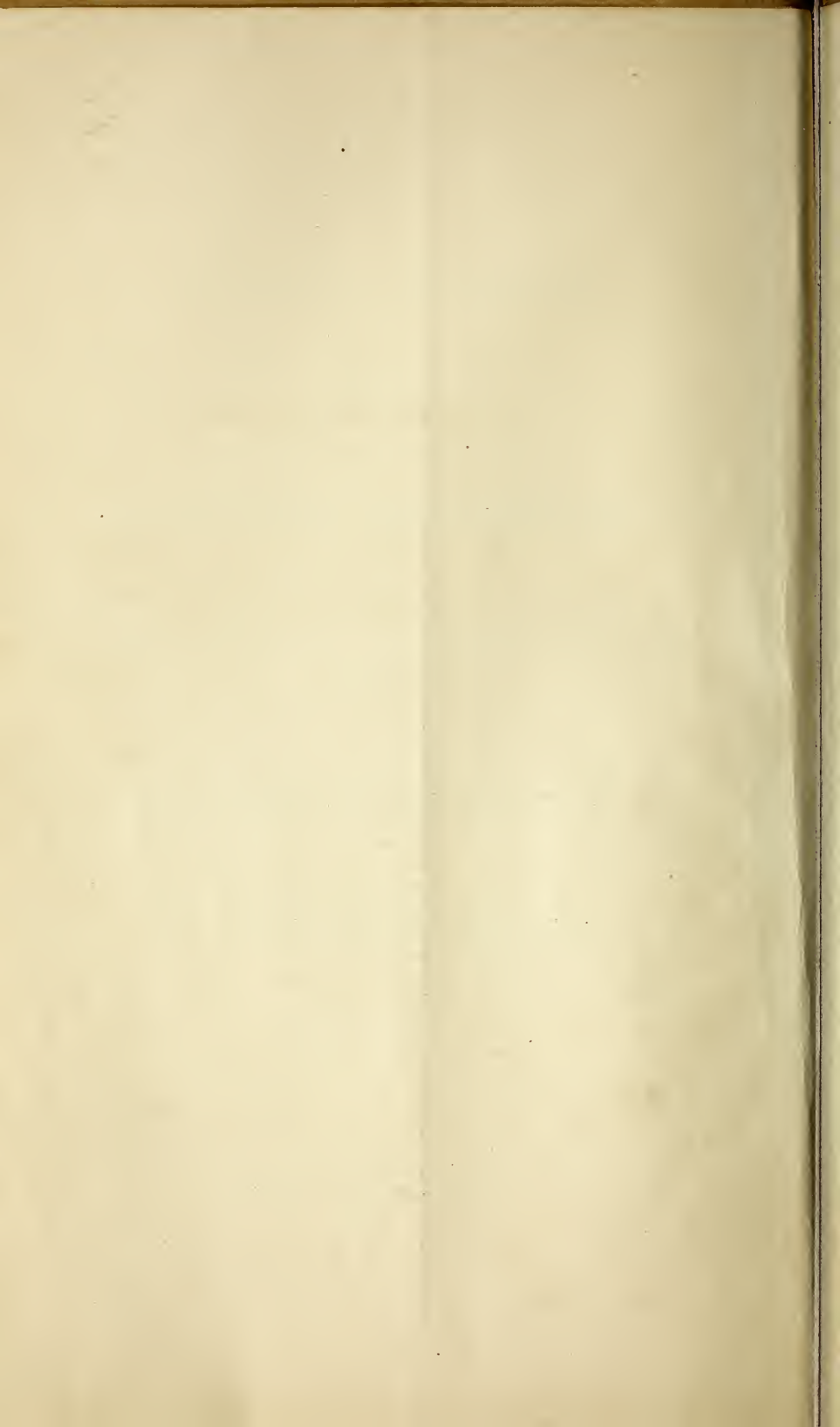
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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

THE EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF SELECT- MEN, TREASURER AND SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS OF THE TOWN OF CORINNA FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAR. 1, 1895.

Valuation of resident real estate, April 1, 1894,	\$305,010 00
“ non-resident real estate, April, 1, 1894,	22,950 00
“ personal real estate, April 1, 1894,	66,013 00
Total,	\$393,973 00
Amount raised to defray town charges,	\$1,000 00
“ for support of schools,	1,300 00
“ to purchase school books,	150 00
“ to repair school buildings,	200 00
“ to purchase school property,	3,500 00
“ to repair town house,	300 00
“ to repair road from Brooks' Corner, north by Furber place,	50 00
“ to build road around Hayden hill,	90 00
“ for J. Knowles Post,	25 00
Amount of State tax,	1,231 57
“ county tax,	327 13
“ overlays,	227 76
Total amount assessed,	\$8,401 46
Amount of rebate on account of school property,	3,488 57
Amount committed to collector,	\$4,912 89

The above amount, four thousand, nine hundred and twelve dollars and eighty-nine cents, (\$4,912.89), was committed to Henry J. Seavey for collection, June 23, 1894.

Number of polls, 261. Tax on poll, \$2.00. Rate of taxation \$2.00 per \$100.

4 **BILLS PAID FOR SUPPORT OF POOR AWAY FROM FARM.**

W. S. Allan, on account of Mary Harmon,	\$	4	56	
J. P. Curtis, " "		13	96	
F. B. Shaw, " "		11	29	
J. S. Dearborn, " "		30	00	\$ 49 81
Mary A. Welch, " Mrs. A. Remic,		40	00	
John M. Martin, burial expenses, . . .		22	50	
Wm. H. Snell, digging grave, . . .		2	50	\$ 65 00
W. W. Steward, on account of F. K. Couillard,		8	44	
Will I. Burrill, " "		10	52	
I. F. Burrill, " "		14	88	
F. B. Shaw, " "		1	28	
Burrill & Nutter, " "		18	24	
Ireland Bros., " "		6	44	\$ 59 82
Insane Hospital, on account of Mary J. Mains,				140 69
F. L. Redman, M. D., on account of J. J. Blaisdell and family, . . .		42	55	
Town of Exeter for commitment of J. J. Blaisdell and family, . . .		18	58	
J. A. Tabor, M. D., examination for commitment to Insane Hospital, . . .		3	00	
Insane Hospital, on account of J. J. Blaisdell,		86	06	\$150 19
Charles Smith, on account of Annie Dearborn,		68	00	
C. J. Trickey, " "		6	00	
J. A. Tabor, medical account of Annie Dearborn,		6	00	\$80 00
Hannah Smith, on account of D. S. Knowles' child, . . .		19	00	
J. P. Curtis, on account of D. S. Knowles' child,		3	21	\$22 21
J. P. Curtis, on account of Amos Holt,		1	25	
W. I. Burrill, " "		1	00	
G. E. Farmer, " "		38	41	\$40 66
Town of Dexter for support of Betsy Sprague,		22	50	
J. S. Burrill for support of E. J. Moody, . . .		5	00	
J. P. Curtis for support of Sarah Babb, . . .		4	79	
John Bigelow, digging graves for J. W. Nutts' children, . . .		3	00	
O. H. Batchelder for support of W. H. Smith,		11	52	
Total, . . .				\$655 19
Received of J. S. Burrill, guardian of Mary J. Mains, . . .				\$136 80
Received of town of Carmel on account of W. H. Smith, . . .		11	52	
Received of Mrs. D. S. Knowles on account of D. S. Knowles' child, . . .		10	00	\$158 32
Cost of poor away from farm, . . .				\$496 87

TOWN FARM.

April 8, 1894, the farm and property thereon was let to A. G. Lander for one year, for which he is to pay \$90 rent and he is to receive \$1.50 per week for board of paupers.

Appraisal of property on farm, April 8, 1894, . . . \$445 63

DUE A. S. LANDER ESTATE FOR BOARD OF PAUPERS:

For D. S. Knowles' child, 46 1-2 weeks, . . . \$ 69 75

Sarah Babb, 46 1-2 weeks, . . . 69 75

Annie Dearborn, 37 weeks, . . . 74 00

Paid F. B. Shaw for grass seed, . . . 10 10

Total, . . . \$669 23

Appraisal of property, March 1, 1895, . . . \$445 63

Due from A. S. Lander estate, . . . 132 00 \$577 63

Against the farm, . . . \$ 91 60

COST OF ROAD AROUND HAYDEN HILL.

A. L. Hayden, for building road, . . . \$55 00

Charles Ordway, land damages, . . . 25 00

Total, . . . \$80 00

COST OF FURBER ROAD.

C. H. Miller, . . . \$52 40

EXPENSE OF MORSE'S CORNER CEMETERY FENCE.

E. S. Knowles, labor, . . . \$38 65

J. E. Gray, supplies, . . . 16 67

T. F. Burrill, planing lumber, . . . 8 39

Total, . . . \$63 68

EXPENSE OF BEMIS CASE.

W. I. Wood, legal services,	.	.	.	.	.	\$44 50
A. H. Emery, attendance at court,	.	.	.	.	.	5 58
C. J. Trickey, " "	.	.	.	.	.	5 50
Everett Burton, " "	.	.	.	.	.	5 50
J. S. Burrill, " "	.	.	.	.	.	5 50
A. R. Day, " "	.	.	.	.	.	5 50
C. A. Cooley, " "	.	.	.	.	.	5 50
J. McPherson, " "	.	.	.	.	.	5 50
H. J. Weymouth, " "	.	.	.	.	.	5 50
Total,	.	.	.	.	.	\$88 58

EXPENSE OF REPAIRS ON TOWN FARM BUILDINGS.

A. S. Lander, for labor,	.	.	.	.	.	\$76 62
Herbert Burrill, shingles,	.	.	.	.	.	31 20
C. H. Rollins, labor,	.	.	.	.	.	13 50
Abner Shepherd, clapboards,	.	.	.	.	.	9 00
W. J. Hall, labor,	.	.	.	.	.	2 00
C. J. Trickey, lumber,	.	.	.	.	.	8 60
E. Blanchard, labor,	.	.	.	.	.	27 50
J. S. Burrill, labor and material,	.	.	.	.	.	27 12
Chas. A. True, labor,	.	.	.	.	.	10 00
E. S. Knowles, labor	.	.	.	.	.	8 75
A. B. Dearborn, labor,	.	.	.	.	.	10 00
O. W. Ireland, painting,	.	.	.	.	.	39 85
J. E. Gray, material,	.	.	.	.	.	46 09
F. E. Day, material,	.	.	.	.	.	12 35
G. B. Fisher, labor,	.	.	.	.	.	3 50
T. F. Burrill, material,	.	.	.	.	.	41 60
Total,	.	.	.	.	.	\$360 57

EXPENSE OF REPAIRS ON TOWN HOUSE.

J. S. Dearborn, labor and material,	\$115 37
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HIGHWAYS.

Hiram Lawrence,	\$ 3 90
F. H. Crowell,	3 50
F. M. Burton,	13 58
J. S. Burrill,	3 15
Ruel McPherson,	15 94
N. L. Weed,	7 55
P. H. Simpson,	6 00
J. B. Ross,	2 30
Wm. Thompson, 1893,	45 99
D. C. Lyford,	2 42
Israel Dearborn,	9 62
Mark Bond,	16 70
Abner Brooks,	2 63
Preston Knowles,	3 00
John McPherson,	6 90
Grant Veazie,	11 42
D. R. Palmer,	4 76
H. W. Knowles,	13 90
George A. Tibbetts,	6 00
W. B. Gould,	50 04
C. E. Higgins,	3 00
S. L. Crowell,	3 00
F. K. Couillard,	2 50
W. H. Welch,	6 00
Wm. E. Andrews,	2 50
Total,	\$246 30

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Addie Johonnett, interest on order No. 83, . . .	\$36 73
D. Bugbee & Co., blank books, ...	8 90
J. S. Dearborn, on town house committee, . . .	5 50
F. L. Redman, returning births and deaths, . . .	5 50
J. A. Tabor, returning births and deaths, . . .	6 25
J. A. Tabor, services for vaccination, ...	45 92
J. P. Curtis, services on board of health, . . .	5 00
Thomas Mosher, blank books, ...	2 50
G. W. Hilliker, for J. Knowles Post, ...	25 00
Addie Johonnett, renewal of part order No. 9, . . .	50 00
Campbell & Noyes, stove for town farm, . . .	24 00
Harry J. Cooley, for burying horses, ...	2 50
Herbert Burrill, cutting weeds in village cemetery, .	1 00
C. J. Trickey, services as town agent, ...	8 00
J. S. Burrill, recording inventory, ...	8 00
J. S. Burrill, keeping town books, ...	12 00
J. S. Burrill, postage and wood for town office, . .	2 50
W. A. Copeland, services as ballot clerk, ...	1 50
George A. Tibbetts, " "	1 50
J. E. Gray, " "	1 50
Wesley Burrill, " "	1 50
J. E. Gray, wire and staples for fence, ...	63 80
J. E. Gray, coal for town office, ...	2 00
H. J. Seavey, for killing dogs, ...	2 00
J. P. Curtis, services as moderator, ...	2 00
G. B. Fisher, driving hearse, ...	30 00
F. B. Shaw, grass seed for town farm, ...	10 10
J. H. Shepherd, deeding lots in village cemetery, .	3 00
W. A. Southard, office rent, ...	7 00
Bunker & Warren, printing reports, ...	22 00
A. S. Lander, balance due as overseer of town farm, .	47 50
Arene Knowles, money hired, ...	139 10
Ernest Seavey, lumber for Thompson bridge, . . .	10 00
G. W. Nutter, funnel and dampers for town farm stove, .	50
Wm. H. Snell, Jr., repairing Weeks' cemetery fence, .	1 50
Will I. Burrill, recording births and deaths, . . .	10 50
Will I. Burrill, postage, express and stationery, . .	5 37
D. C. Lyford, services on town house committee, . .	3 00
J. S. Burrill, " " "	3 00
Total, ...	\$617 67

ABATEMENTS.

H. J. Seavey, collector for 1893,		\$58 84
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PAID TOWN OFFICERS.

C. J. Trickey, services as selectman,		\$ 75 00
J. S. Burrill, " "		67 45
I. M. Bates, " "		45 75
Will I. Burrill, treasurer,		40 00
Will I. Burrill, town clerk,		10 00
H. J. Seavey, services in full as collector for 1893,		28 52
H. J. Seavey, services in part as collector for 1894,		70 00
Estate of F. H. Snell, services in full as supervisor,		60 25
J. H. Shepherd, " "		49 50
Total,		<u>\$446 47</u>

REPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Amount appropriated by town for support of schools,	\$1,300 00
Amount received from State,	823 27
" " Ripley,	20 00
Amount due from Dexter,	65 12
Total amount for schools,	<u>\$2,208 39</u>
Amount expended for schools,	\$1,968 60
" overdrawn in 1893,	158 50
	<u>\$2,127 10</u>
Unexpended,	\$ 81 29

REPAIRS ON SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Amount appropriated,		\$200 00
Amount expended,		152 12
Unexpended,		<u>\$47 88</u>

FOR FREE TEXT BOOKS.

Amount appropriated,		\$150 00
Amount expended,		191 63
Unexpended,		<u>\$44 60</u>

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding orders, ~~2~~	\$4,420 64
Interest on same, ...	115 89
Due the school department, ...	81 29
School fund note, ...	1,174 93
Total liabilities, ...	\$5,792 75

RESOURCES.

Due from treasurer, ...	\$2,465 56
Due from Dexter, ...	65 12
School fund note, ...	1,174 93
Total resources, ...	\$3,705 61
Town debt, March 1, 1895, ...	\$2,087 14
Reported town debt, March 1, 1894, ...	\$1,402 53
Order not reported since 1886, ...	139 10
	\$1,541 63
Increase, ...	\$ 545 51

C. J. TRICKEY, } Selectmen
 J. S. BURRILL, } of
 I. M. BATES, } Corinna.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

WILL I. BURRILL, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF CORINNA.

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To amount of cash on hand at commencement of	
year, ...	\$ 136 02
" school fund note, ...	1,174 93
" tax deeds, ...	25 90
" due from J. C. Pease, tax bills of 1889,	2 89
" " H. J. Seavey, " 1893,	1,244 44
" of non-resident " 1891,	5 54
" " " 1892,	14 10
" " " 1893,	231 90
" received of J. S. Burrill for Mary J.	
Mains' pension, ...	136 82
" " from State, dog license fees	
of 1893, ...	103 61
" " " town clerk, dog license	
fees of 1894, ...	99 00
" " of W. S. Page, money hired,	500 00
" " Harriet Briggs, "	200 00
" " Elsie Knowles "	70 00
" " L. Veazie, "	100 00
" " Azro Mills, "	70 00
" " I. H. Crowell, "	50 00
" " E. W. Holt, "	400 00
" " Mrs. D. S. Knowles, for sup-	
port of child, ...	10 00
" " from State, railroad and tele-	
graph tax, ...	28 80
" " State, school fund, ...	823 27
" " of J. H. Shepherd, for lots sold	
in village cemetery, ...	18 00
" " R. G. Page, peddler's license,	6 00
" of tax bills committed to H. J. Seavey,	
for 1894, ...	4,912 89
" town of Carmel, account of W. H.	
Smith, ...	11 52
" " Ripley, tuition, ...	20 00
Total, ...	<u>\$10,395 61</u>

**WILL I. BURRILL, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH
THE TOWN OF CORINNA.**

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By amount paid on orders drawn,	.	.	.	\$5,057 29
" State tax in full,	.	.	.	1,231 57
" county "	.	.	.	327 13
" interest on orders drawn,	.	.	.	40 13
" State, dog license fees,	.	.	.	99 30
" of school fund note,	.	.	.	1,174 93
" tax deeds,	.	.	.	25 90
" non-resident tax bills of 1892,	.	.	.	2 82
" " " 1893,	.	.	.	65 36
" " " 1894,	.	.	.	99 28
" due from H. J. Seavey, tax bills of				
1893,	.	.	.	18 70
" " H. J. Seavey, tax bills of				
1894,	.	.	.	1,239 00
" of cash on hand,	.	.	.	1,014 50
Total,	.	.	.	<u>\$10,395 61</u>

SUPERVISOR'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1895.

TO THE CITIZENS OF CORINNA: In submitting to you the condition and progress of the common schools it will be impossible for me, owing to the death of our supervisor, Mr. F. H. Snell, on Nov. 6, 1894, he having compiled no report of the spring and fall terms, to give an extended report as he could have done. The winter terms were under my supervision. Below will be found such report of the spring and fall schools as I am able to compile from school teachers' registers, etc.; also a brief report of progress made in winter terms. The financial condition of our common schools can be found by referring to the selectmen's report. In the following report the wages include board and are reckoned by the week:

NO. 1, (BROOKS).

Summer term was taught by Miss Gertrude M. Footman. Length of school, ten weeks. Wages paid, \$5.50. Whole number registered, twenty-three. Average, eighteen and nine-tenths. Fall term was taught by Miss Lucy A. Chandler. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.50. Whole number registered, eighteen. Average, fifteen. Winter term, Lucy A. Chandler, teacher. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$6.00. Whole number registered, twenty-three. Average nineteen. This term was attended with difficulties which made it unsuccessful.

NO. 2, (BOND'S).

Summer term was taught by Jennie White. Length of school, ten weeks. Wages paid, \$4.50. Whole number registered, thirteen. Average, twelve. The fall term was taught by Jennie White. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.00. Whole number registered, thirteen. Average, eleven and one-half. The winter term was taught by Miss L. Hattie Morton. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.00. Whole number registered, fourteen. Average, thirteen. Very thorough work was done in the winter term. Discipline was good. This term was successful,

NO. 3, (BASSETT).

In the summer and fall terms the scholars were conveyed to No. 5, at a cost to the town of \$2.50 per week. The winter term was taught by Miss Jennie A. White. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.50. Whole number registered, seven. Average, six and five-seventeenths. At the close of the school the examination showed that a good term's work had been done.

NO. 4, (NORTH RIDGE).

The summer term was taught by Miss L. Hattie Morton. Length of school, ten weeks. Wages paid, \$5.50. Whole number registered, twelve. Average, eleven and one-half. The fall term was taught by Miss L. Hattie Morton. Length of school, seven weeks. Whole number registered, fifteen. Average, thirteen and one-half. The winter term was taught by Frank Gray. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$6.25. Whole number registered, twelve. Average, nine. The winter term was not satisfactory to all concerned, though some good work was done.

NO. 5, (CENTER).

The summer term was taught by Miss Carrie P. Emery. Length of school, ten weeks. Wages paid, \$6.50. Whole number registered, twenty-nine. Average, twenty-seven and one-half. Carrie P. Emery taught the fall term. Length of school seven weeks. Wages paid, \$6.50. Whole number registered, twenty-eight. Average, twenty-five. The winter term was taught by Mr. B. A. Smith. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$6.50. Whole number registered, twenty-five. Average, twenty-three. The work done in the winter by both teacher and pupils deserves much praise. This term was A 1.

(NO. 6, PUFFER).

The summer term was taught by Miss Flossie Jose. Length of school, ten weeks. Wages paid, \$4.50. The fall term was taught by Miss Gertrude M. Footman. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.50. Whole number registered, twenty-one. Average, eighteen. The winter term was taught by Frank G. Smith. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$6.25. Whole number registered, eighteen. Average, sixteen. Good progress was made in the winter term. The examination at the close showed the scholars to be quite thorough in the term's work.

NO. 7, (VILLAGE).

The summer term was taught by Mr. F. H. Snell. Length of term, nine weeks. Wages paid, \$8.00. The fall term was taught by Mrs. F. H. Snell. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages

paid, \$8.50. Whole number registered, forty-one. Average thirty-four. The winter term was divided into two schools. Miss Jennie Smith taught the Primary school. Length of term, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.50. Whole number registered, twenty-nine. Average, twenty-two. The examination showed good discipline, good progress and a successful term. The Grammar school was taught by Miss L. Belle Mains. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$6.50. Whole number registered, twenty-three. Average, twenty-one. This school was well disciplined, advanced rapidly, but was not thorough enough to insure the best success.

NO. 8, (TOWN FARM).

The summer term was taught by Miss Sadie F. Mower. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$4.00. Whole number registered, eleven. Average, ten and one-half. Fall term was taught by Mr. F. H. Gray. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.50. Whole number registered, eight. Average, seven and twenty-five-thirty-sevenths. The winter term was taught by Mr. Stanley Burrill. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$6.00. Whole number registered, ten. Average, nine. There was some dissatisfaction in the winter term and, although we cannot say that the school money was spent to the best advantage, yet the examination at the close of the term showed that the scholars had made fair progress.

NO. 9, (MOWER).

Miss Myrtille A. Smith taught the summer, fall and winter terms. Summer term was ten weeks. Wages paid, \$5.25. Whole number registered, eighteen. Average, fifteen and seven-tenths. Fall term was seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.75. Whole number registered, twenty-one. Average, eighteen. Good progress was made in the winter term and we think entire satisfaction given throughout the year.

NO. 10, (MORSE'S CORNER).

The summer term was taught by Miss Ada H. Burrill. Length of school, ten weeks. Wages paid, \$5.00. Whole number registered, eleven. Average, ten. The fall and winter terms were taught by Miss Mabel Southard. Length of school in fall, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.00. Whole number registered, twelve. Average, nine. Length of school in winter, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.00. Whole number registered, fourteen. Average, eleven. Good progress was made and the scholars appeared to be quite thorough.

NO. 11, (PLEASANT VALE).

Miss Mabel Miller taught the summer term. Length of school, ten weeks. Wages paid, \$4.00. Whole number registered,

fifteen Average, twelve. Miss J. Ethelyn Fisher taught the fall and winter terms. Length of school in fall, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.00. Whole number registered, twelve. Average, eight and five-tenths. Length of school in winter, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.50. Whole number registered, eleven. Average, nine. In the winter term the scholars went over plenty of text, but not thorough enough to insure the best success.

NO. 12, (GREENBUSH).

The scholars in this district were conveyed to No. 1 for the year at a cost of sixty dollars for twenty-four weeks.

No. 13 was conveyed to No. 11 twenty-four weeks for sixty dollars. No. 15 was conveyed to No. 6 twenty-four weeks for fifty-one dollars and fifty cents.

NO. 17.

The summer term was taught by Mrs. F. H. Snell. Length of school ten weeks. Wages paid, \$5.00. Whole number registered sixteen. Average, fourteen. The fall term was taught by Ada H. Burrill. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$5.00. Whole number registered, thirteen. Average, ten and two-tenths. The winter term was taught by Densmore Hilliker. Length of school, seven weeks. Wages paid, \$6.00. Whole number registered, eighteen. Average, sixteen and one-half. The winter term was a success.

J. H. SHEPHERD, Supervisor.

TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF MAINE.

TO HENRY J. SEAVEY, A CONSTABLE IN THE TOWN OF CORINNA,
COUNTY OF PENOBSBOT. GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Corinna, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the town house, in said town, on the eleventh day of March inst. at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

ART. 1—To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2—To choose a town clerk and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year, as required by law.

ART. 3—To see what sum of money the town will raise to defray town charges.

ART. 4—To see what sum of money the town will raise for support of schools.

ART. 5—To see what sum of money the town will raise to pay on town debt.

ART. 6—To see what sum of money the town will raise to purchase school books.

ART. 7—To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair school buildings.

ART. 8—To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair roads and bridges and determine the manner in which the same shall be expended.

ART. 9—To see what sum of money the town will raise to run road machine and determine the manner in which the same shall be expended.

ART. 10—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for J. Knowles Post for Memorial Day.

ART. 11—To see what disposal the town will make of the town farm for the ensuing year.

ART. 12—To see what disposal the town will make of the school houses in Nos. 12 and 14.

ART. 13—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to repair the Caswell hill so called.

ART. 14—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to repair the Bemis road.

ART. 15—To see if the town will vote to discontinue the old road over Hayden hill.

ART. 16—To see if the town will vote to buy the F. K. Couillard place and raise a sum of money for the same.

The selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters in said town and hearing and deciding upon the application of persons claiming to have their names entered upon said list, at the town house, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 1st day of March, A. D. 1895.

C. J. TRICKEY, } Selectmen
J. S. BURRILL, } of
I. M. BATES, } Corinna.

A true copy. Attest:

H. J. SEAVEY, Constable of the Town of Corinna.





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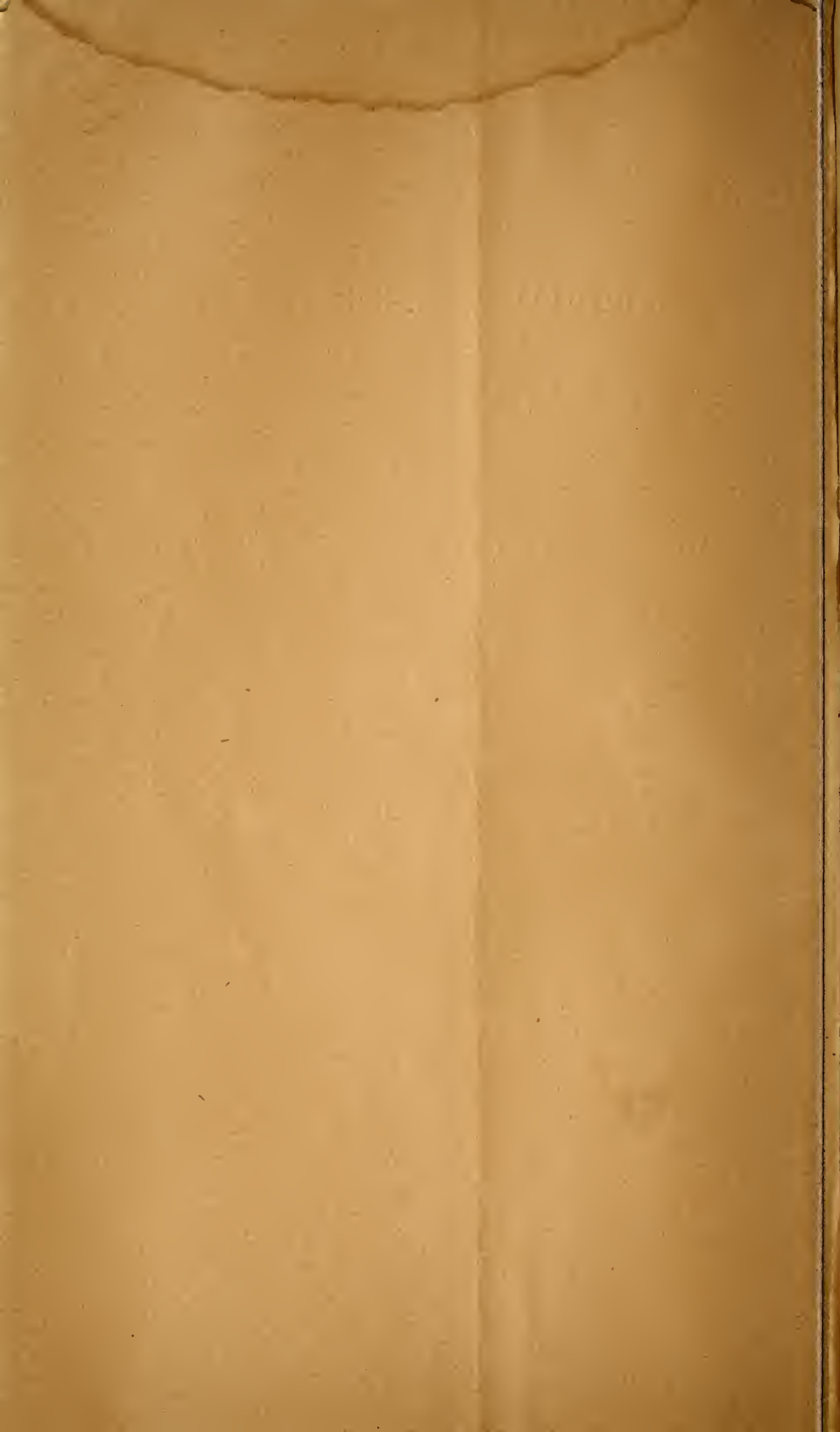
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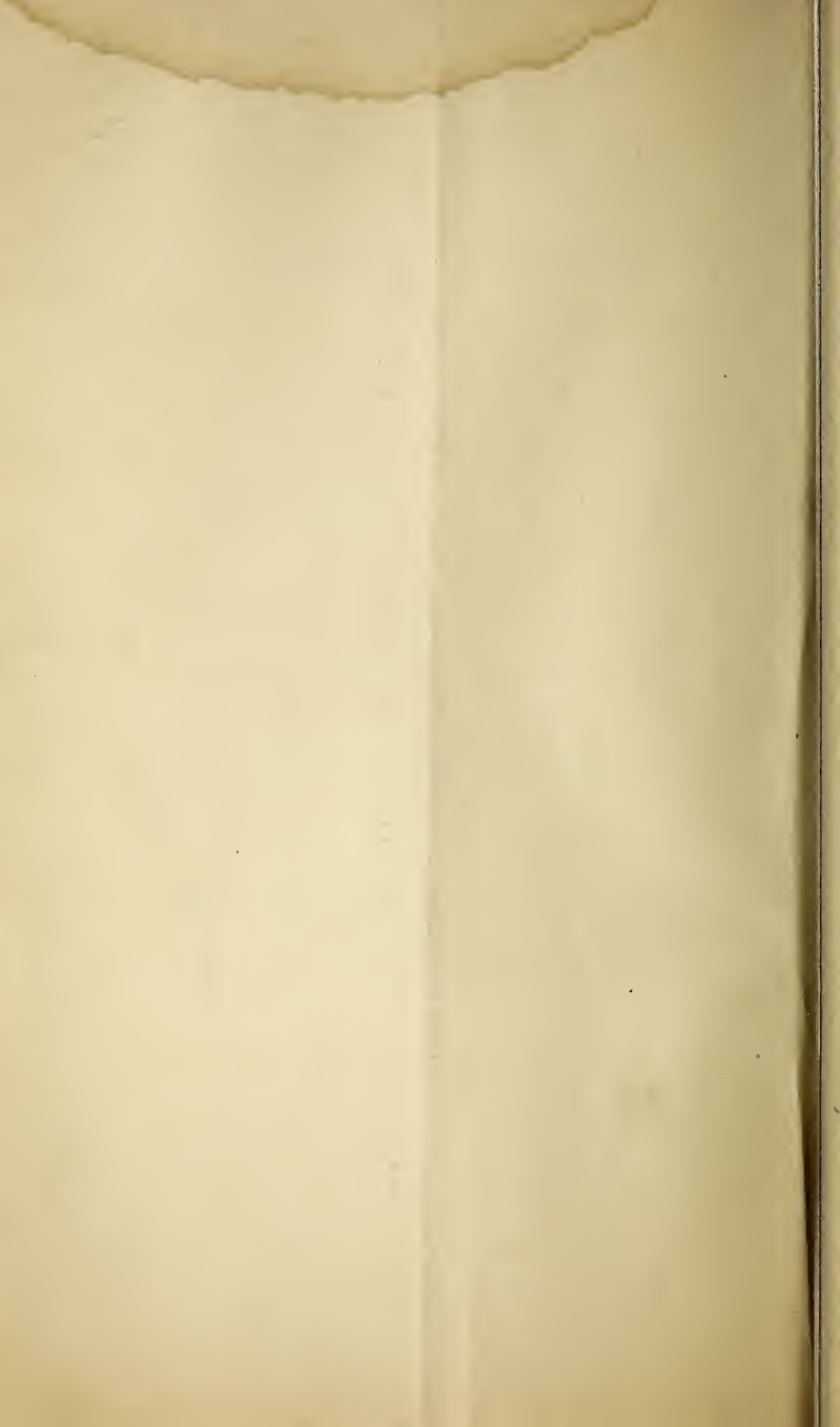
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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

THE NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF SELECT MEN, TREASURER AND SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS OF THE TOWN OF CORINNA FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1st, 1896.

Valuation of resident real estate, Apr. 1st, 1895	\$307,585 00
“ non-resident real estate, Apr. 1st, 1895..	20,550 00
“ personal estate, April 1st, 1895.....	64,458 00

Total.....\$392,593 00

Amount raised to defray town charges.....	\$1,500 00
“ for support of schools.....	1,500 00
“ to purchase school books	200 00
“ to repair school buildings.....	250 00
“ to repair roads and bridges.....	1,500 00
“ to run the road machine.....	500 00
“ for J. Knowles Post.....	25 00
“ to take up the mortgage on the F. K. Couillard place.....	25 00

Amount of State tax.....	1,216 09
“ overlays	335 70

Total amount assessed.....\$7,051 79

Amount of highway deficiencies..... 759 65

Amount committed to collector\$7,811 44

The above amount, seven thousand, eight hundred and eleven dollars and forty-four cents (\$7,811.44) was committed to Henry J. Seavey for collection, May 1st, 1895.

Number of polls, 287; tax on poll, \$2.00. Rate of taxation, \$1.65 per \$100.

BILLS PAID FOR SUPPORT OF POOR AWAY FROM FARM.

Insane hospital on account of Mary J. Maines.....	\$140 56
“ “ “ John J. Blaisdell.....	137 62
J. S. Burrill, on account of Amos Holt.....	\$ 1 00
G. E. Farmer, “ “	21 06
W. E. Brewster, “ “	2 25
A. R. Day, “ “	4 85
F. B. Shaw, “ “	3 07
Town of Sangerville, on account of Amos Holt... ..	7 42 39 65
A. R. Day, on account of Mary Harmon.....	64

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Tyler & Conant, road machine, plow, scraper, etc.....	\$	258	00
Joseph Williams, running road machine.....		362	00
C. C. Knowles, road commissioner.....		609	87
Lyford Robinson, breaking roads.....		7	60
J. S. Burrill, splitting stone for drain.....		5	00
Stephen Whitman, labor on highway.....		37	25
John Katen, labor on highway.....		13	00
J. C. Pease, labor on highway.....		23	75
R. S. Knowles, splitting stone.....		5	00
Alton Puffer, labor.....		15	00
O. T. Percival, labor.....		10	00
W. H. Snell, Jr., labor.....		6	50
Jonathan Libby, cutting bushes.....		36	
C. H. Miller, cutting bushes.....		2	00
Wm. Thompson, labor.....		6	35
D. C. Lyford, labor.....		7	20
Water tanks for highway.....		25	50
C. C. Knowles.....		5	99
S. Lincoln.....		16	60
Geo. A. Shepherd.....		5	50
Frank Proctor, overwork 1894.....		19	98
Wm. Thompson, overwork 1894.....		4	55
N. L. Weed, overwork 1894.....		5	56
Sanford I. Chase and others, overwork 1894.....		24	75
Everett G. Burton, overwork 1894.....		16	88
C. A. Cooley " ".....		14	28
James Smith " ".....		24	87
Abner Brooks " ".....		6	30
I. M. Barker " ".....		14	18
D. P. Dearborn " ".....		10	82
Charles Pulsifer " ".....		29	05
J. F. Stubbs " ".....		33	46
Selden Crowell " ".....		10	77
B. J. Woodard " ".....		16	50
L. W. White " ".....		2	20
S. Lincoln " ".....		13	75
F. W. Bond " ".....		14	21
Geo. A. Tibbetts " ".....		3	48
Hiram Lawrence " ".....		12	61
E. S. Knowles " ".....		8	27
Lewis Gould " ".....		5	38
C. H. Crowell " ".....		2	09
F. M. Burton " ".....		3	00
J. S. Dearborn " ".....		3	00
J. C. Pease " ".....		4	50

P. H. Simpson	"	"	16 00
Wayland Philbrick	"	"	2 65
Albert C. Knowles	"	"	9 12

Total\$1754 68

Of the above amount, C. C. Knowles, road commissioner has expended.....\$1108 91

REPORT OF C. C. KNOWLES, ROAD COMMISSIONER.

FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING MAY 1, 1895, TO MARCH 4, 1896.

C. C. Knowles, labor on roads.....	\$136 25
Team and men furnished by C. C. Knowles.....	159 53
Joseph Williams, self and team running road machine	375 00
Frank Hanson, 1 man and 4 horses 1 day.....	6 00
Charles Lougee, self and team 1 day.....	4 00
Teams and men for filling road at foot of Sprague hill with stone.....	15 75
Charles Bates, labor.....	7 13
Augustus Barney, labor	1 50
J. S. Burrill, splitting stone	5 00
Selden Knowles, splitting stone.....	5 00
Foss Burrill, lumber and culvert covers.....	10 27
Samuel Brown, labor and blasting material	14 35
Winfield Bond, stone for culvert covers.....	40
Frank Bond, labor.....	3 00
Isaiah Crowell, stone.....	2 50
Frank Crowell, cutting bushes	1 40
Lorine Dearborn, labor.....	1 80
Horace Dearborn, labor and culvert covers.....	3 25
Alonzo Dearborn, gravel	6 40
Israel Dearborn, cutting bushes.....	3 00
Albert Door, stone.....	4 50
David Dearborn, labor.....	4 97
	\$ 771 00
Henry Estes, stone for culvert covers.....	\$ 80
John Grey, iron nails and pick	6 04
Frank Hollis, labor.....	15 75
Warren Hall, labor	4 50
Dinsmore Hilliker, labor	1 20
Avis Hayden, labor.....	2 25
John Katen, labor.....	13 00
Alden Ireland, labor.....	5 40
Johnathan Libby, labor.....	6 38
Seth Lancaster, culvert covers.....	1 00
Almon Lawrence, labor	4 73
	\$ 61 05

John Moody, labor	\$ 4 50	
Charles Miller, labor.....	3 50	
Wilber H. Knowles, repairing culvert.....	1 35	
James Nutt, culvert stone.....	1 00	
George F. Knowles, unloading car of stone.....	75	
Orlando Percival, labor.....	12 90	
Alton Puffer, "	30 00	
Joel Pease "	27 50	
Edgar Philbrick "	5 85	
Hiram Phinney "	12 00	
H. B. Rackliff, "	6 00	
Lyford Robinson, cutting bushes.....	4 20	
Calvin*Lyford, labor.....	7 20	
Webb Sylvester, labor.....	50	
Ernest Seavey, labor.....	4 50	
Timothy Shaw, labor.....	12 25	
Gilbert Shaw, labor.....	2 70	
James Sewell, labor	30	
Wm. Snell, cutting bushes.....	6 50	
	—————	\$ 143 50
Isaac Shorey, cutting bushes.....	\$ 3 60	
Charles Thompson, labor.....	75	
Wm. Thompson, labor.....	13 44	
Byrant Thurston, lumber and work.....	3 00	
Granville Hayden, breaking roads	3 97	
Stephen Whitcomb, labor	71 24	
Fred Willey, cutting bushes.....	2 70	
Charles White, cutting bushes.....	4 50	
Joseph Weymouth, cutting bushes.....	4 00	
Albert Knowles, labor.....	4 57	
Henry Young, labor.....	4 25	
	—————	\$ 116 02
Sharpening drills.....	29	
Repairs.....	30	
George Barker, blacksmithing	50	
Fred Knowles, blacksmithing.....	2 90	
Repairs on old machine	4 60	
Oil and can.....	50	
Cutters and freight.....	8 25	
	—————	\$ 17 34
Whole amount expended.....	\$1,108 91	
Orders drawn.....	1,108 91	

ABATEMENTS.

Will I. Burrill, treasurer for 1892.....	\$ 2 82
“ “ 1893.....	13 09
H. J. Seavey, Collector for 1893.....	28 05
“ “ 1894.....	22 39
“ “ 1895.....	102 19
“ “ highway deficiency 1894.....	40 38
Total	<u>\$208 92</u>

PAID TOWN OFFICERS.

J. S. Burrill, services as selectman	\$ 65 60
I. M. Bates “ “	50 00
N. R. Packard “ “	57 00
Will I. Burrill “ treasurer	40 00
“ “ town clerk.....	15 00
P. L. Pease “ supervisor	100 00
“ “ school agent.....	15 00
H. J. Seavey, services in full as collector for 1894	28 25
“ “ part “ 1895.....	210 00
Total.....	<u>\$580 85</u>

REPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Amount appropriated for support of schools.....	\$1500 00
“ received from State.....	852 34
“ “ Ripley	20 00
“ “ Dexter.....	50 00
“ due from Newport.....	18 00
“ unexpended in 1894.....	81 29
Total amount for schools.....	<u>\$2,521 63</u>
Amount expended for schools.....	<u>2,472 35</u>
Unexpended.....	<u>\$ 49 28</u>

REPAIRS ON SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Amount appropriated	\$250 00
“ expended.....	250 39
Overdrawn	<u>\$ 39</u>

FOR FREE TEXT BOOKS.

Amount appropriated.....	\$200 00
“ expended	205 03
Overdrawn	<u>\$ 5 03</u>
Due the school department.....	<u>\$43 86</u>

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES.

Paid for support of poor.....	\$ 438 65
Miscellaneous expenses.....	3459 54
On roads and bridges.....	1754 68
For schools.....	2472 38
repairs on school buildings.....	250 39
school books.....	205 03
Town officers.....	580 85
Abatements	208 92
Interest on town orders.....	93 38
Total	<u>\$9463 82</u>
Amount of orders turned over by treasurer	\$9,463 82

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding orders.....	\$3022 77
Interest on same.....	91 90
Due the school department.....	43 86
School fund note.....	1174 93
Total liabilities.....	<u>\$4333 46</u>

RESOURCES.

Due from treasurer.....	\$2128 89
" Newport for tuition.....	18 00
F. K. Couillard's mortgage.....	25 00
Due from St. Albans.....	8 00
School fund note	1174 93
Total resources.....	<u>\$3354 82</u>
Town debt March 1, 1896.....	\$ 978 64
" " 1895.....	<u>2087 14</u>
Reduction of debt.....	\$1108 50

J. S. BURRILL,	} Selectmen
I. M. BATES,	
N. R. PACKARD,	
	of
	Corinna,

TREASURER'S REPORT.

WILL I. BURRILL, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF CORINNA.

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To amount of cash on hand at commencement of		
year.....	\$	1014 50
“ school fund note		1174 93
“ non-resident tax bills of 1892.....		2 82
“ “ “ 1893.....		65 36
“ “ “ 1894		99 28
“ due from H. J. Seavey, tax bills of 1893....		18 70
“ “ “ “ 1894....		1239 00
To amount received of Dexter for tuition		65 12
“ “ J. S. Burrill for Mary J. Mains’		
pension.....		136 80
“ “ State for dog license fees.....		93 07
“ “ Joel Young, highway money of		
1894.....		4 32
“ “ J. S. Burrill, money hired.....		200 00
“ “ L. Veazie, “		150 00
“ “ W. S. Page, “		300 00
“ “ G. W. Nutter, “		500 00
“ “ G. E. Jones, “		150 00
“ “ town clerk, dog license fees....		74 00
“ “ Carmel, supplies furnished W.		
H. Smith.....		2 80
“ “ State, railroad and telegraph		
tax		24 42
“ “ State school fund.....		852 34
“ “ tax bills committed to H. J.		
Seavey for 1895.....		7811 44
“ “ received of Dexter for tuition..		50 00
“ “ “ Ripley for tuition...		20 00
“ “ “ P. L. Pease, school		
books sold.....		2 83
“ “ received of R. G. Page, pedler’s		
license.....		6 00

\$14,057 73

**WILL I. BURRILL, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH
THE TOWN OF CORINNA.**

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By amount paid on orders drawn.....	\$ 9463 82
“ “ State tax in full.....	1216 09
“ “ “ dog license fees.....	74 00
“ of school fund note.....	1174 93
“ of non-resident tax bills of 1894.....	5 76
“ “ “ “ 1895.....	153 27
“ due from H. J. Seavey, tax bills of 1895....	612 30
“ of cash on hand.....	1357 56
	\$14057 73

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1st, 1896.

TO THE CITIZENS OF CORINNA: The financial condition of the common schools will be found by referring to the selectmen's report. In the following report the wages include the board and are reckoned by the week in every case.

NO. 1. (BROOKS.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$6.00; number registered, 24; average, 22. Fall term, 10 weeks; wages, \$6.00; number registered, 20; average, 18. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$7.00; number registered, 22; average, 20. This school was under the instruction of Miss Carrie P. Emery for the year. Miss Emery is a thorough teacher, an earnest worker and meets with excellent success.

NO. 2. (BOND.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$5.75; number registered, 17; average, 15. Fall term, 10 weeks; wages \$5.75; number registered, 15; average, 12. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$5.75; number registered, 14; average, 12. Miss Hattie Morton taught this school for the year and gave good satisfaction.

NO. 4. (NORTH RIDGE.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$5.25; number registered, 11; average, 10. Fall term, 10 weeks; wages, \$5.25; number registered, 10; average, 9. Winter term, 10 weeks, wages, \$5.50; number registered, 10; average, 9. Miss Maria Katen had charge of this school. The pupils were studious and showed they had received good instruction.

NO 5. (CENTER.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$6.25; number registered, 28; average, 25. Fall term, 10 weeks; wages, \$8.25; number registered, 21; average, 18. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$6.50; number registered, 22; average, 20. Estelle Bearce, of Foxcroft, taught this summer term. The fall term was taught by Miss Michaels, of Stillwater. The winter term by Miss Mertie Smith of Corinna. The winter term was a success.

NO 6. (PUFFER.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$5.50; number registered, 22; average, 21. Fall term, 10 weeks; wages, \$5.50; number registered, 22; average, 20. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$6.50; number registered, 22; average, 19. Summer and fall terms were taught by Miss Mertie Smith, a hard-working, successful teacher. The winter term was taught by Frank Smith who continued the good work of the previous terms.

NO. 7. (VILLAGE.)**GRAMMAR.**

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$8.00; number registered, 28; average, 25. Fall term, 10 weeks; wages, \$11.00; number registered, 38; average, 33. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$11.00; number registered, 30; average, 28.

PRIMARY,

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$5.00; number registered, 24; average, 21. Fall term, 10 weeks; wages, \$7.00; number registered, 20; average, 18. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$7.00; number registered, 18; average, 15. Annie Gilman, a graduate of Maine Central Institute, had charge of the Grammar school. She won the respect of her pupils immediately. Teacher and pupils labored hard and their efforts were crowned with success.

Ethie Hamilton taught the summer term of the Primary school; Maude Brawn, of Bradley, the fall and winter terms. Under Miss Brawn's instruction, the pupils advanced rapidly and thorough work was accomplished.

NO. 8. (TOWN FARM.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; conveyed to No. 9 for \$16.00. Fall term, 10 weeks; conveyed to No. 9 for \$22.50. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$6.00; number registered, 10; average, 9.8. This school was taught by Frank Gray. The examination showed that the pupils had made good progress in their studies.

NO. 9. (MOWER.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$6.00; number registered, 29; average, 25. Fall term, 10 weeks; wages, \$7.00; number registered, 27; average, 23. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$6.75; number registered, 19; average, 16. The summer term was taught by Miss Nettie Bradford, of St. Albans. Miss Gertrude Footman, of Exeter, taught the fall and winter terms. I consider Miss Footman an excellent teacher.

NO. 10. (MORSES' CORNER.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; conveyed to No. 2 for \$16.00. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$5.75; number registered, 19; average, 16. Della Veazie taught the winter term and gave general satisfaction.

NO. 11. (PLEASANT VALE.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$5.00; number registered, 12; average, 10. Fall term, 10 weeks; conveyed to No. 7 for \$30. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$5.50; number registered, 12; average, 9. The summer and winter terms were taught by Miss Ada Burrill. Most of the pupils under her instruction were industrious and made good improvement.

NO. 12. (GREENBUSH.)

The scholars in this district were conveyed to No. 1 for the year at a cost of \$63 for 28 weeks. No. 15 was conveyed to No. 6, 28 weeks for \$61; No. 3 was conveyed to No. 5, 28 weeks for \$75.00.

NO. 17. (SOUTHARD'S MILLS.)

Summer term, 8 weeks; wages, \$5.00; number registered, 12; average, 10. Fall term, 10 weeks; wages, \$5.25; number registered, 12; average, 10. Winter term, 10 weeks; wages, \$6.00; number registered, 14; average, 12. The summer and fall terms were taught by Miss Della Veazie. Densmore Hilliker taught the winter term. Each teacher labored for the interest of the pupils and met with good results.

P. L. PEASE, Superintendent of Schools.

SCHOOL AGENT'S REPORT.

The expense of schools for the year ending March 1, 1896 will be found in the report of the selectmen. We find a surplus of \$81.29 from last year. There were outstanding wood bills amounting to \$85.62. Overdrawn in 1895, \$4.33. Our schools have been in session twenty-eight weeks. We have unexpended nearly fifty dollars and every bill has been paid.

From the condition of the books I deemed it necessary to make a change in arithmetics, readers, geographies, grammars and spellers. In September, a contract was made with the American Book company to take the old books and replace with a sufficient supply of new for use in the town. The new books purchased amounted to \$492 for which we paid \$160.

A new shed has been built in District No. 4, (North Ridge.) Several of the schoolhouses have been plastered. The new Model desk has replaced the old, uncomfortable desks in the Grammar schoolroom at the village. These, with several minor repairs, constitute the amount of work done, the expense being nearly \$250.

I would suggest that the schoolhouse in No. 1 be shingled, that a new shed be built at Morse's Corner, also in No. 6, (Puffer district.) New seats could be placed in one schoolroom each year. In the course of time we would have pleasant and more comfortable rooms for the children. An appropriation of \$250 is needed.

In conclusion I would thank the citizens for the courtesies and favors shown me, also the Committee for aid and advice.

P. L. PEASE, School Agent.

TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF MAINE.

TO HENRY J. SEAVEY, A CONSTABLE IN THE TOWN OF CORINNA,
COUNTY OF PENOBSBOT. GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Corinna, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House, in said town, on the ninth day of March inst. at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

- ART. 1—To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- ART. 2—To choose a town clerk and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year as required by law.
- ART. 3—To see what sum of money the town will raise to defray town charges.
- ART. 4—To see what sum of money the town will raise for support of schools.
- ART. 5—To see what sum of money the town will raise to pay on town debt.
- ART. 6—To see what sum of money the town will raise to purchase school books.
- ART. 7—To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair school buildings.
- ART. 8—To see what sum of money the town will raise to run the road machine and determine the manner in which the same shall be expended.
- ART. 9—To see what sum of money the town will raise to repair roads and bridges and determine the manner in which the same shall be expended.
- ART. 10—To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for J. Knowles Post for Memorial Day.
- ART. 11—To see what disposal the town will make of the town farm for the ensuing year.
- ART. 12—To see if the town will vote to enlarge the Higgin's cemetery, so called, and lot, and fence the same and see what sum of money the town will raise for said purpose.
- ART. 13—To see if the town will raise a sum of money to repair the road on the Higgins' hill.

ART. 14—To see if the town will vote to accept the list of jurors as revised by the selectmen, treasurer and town clerk.

ART. 15—To see if the town will vote to build an iron bridge at the village and raise a sum of money for the same.

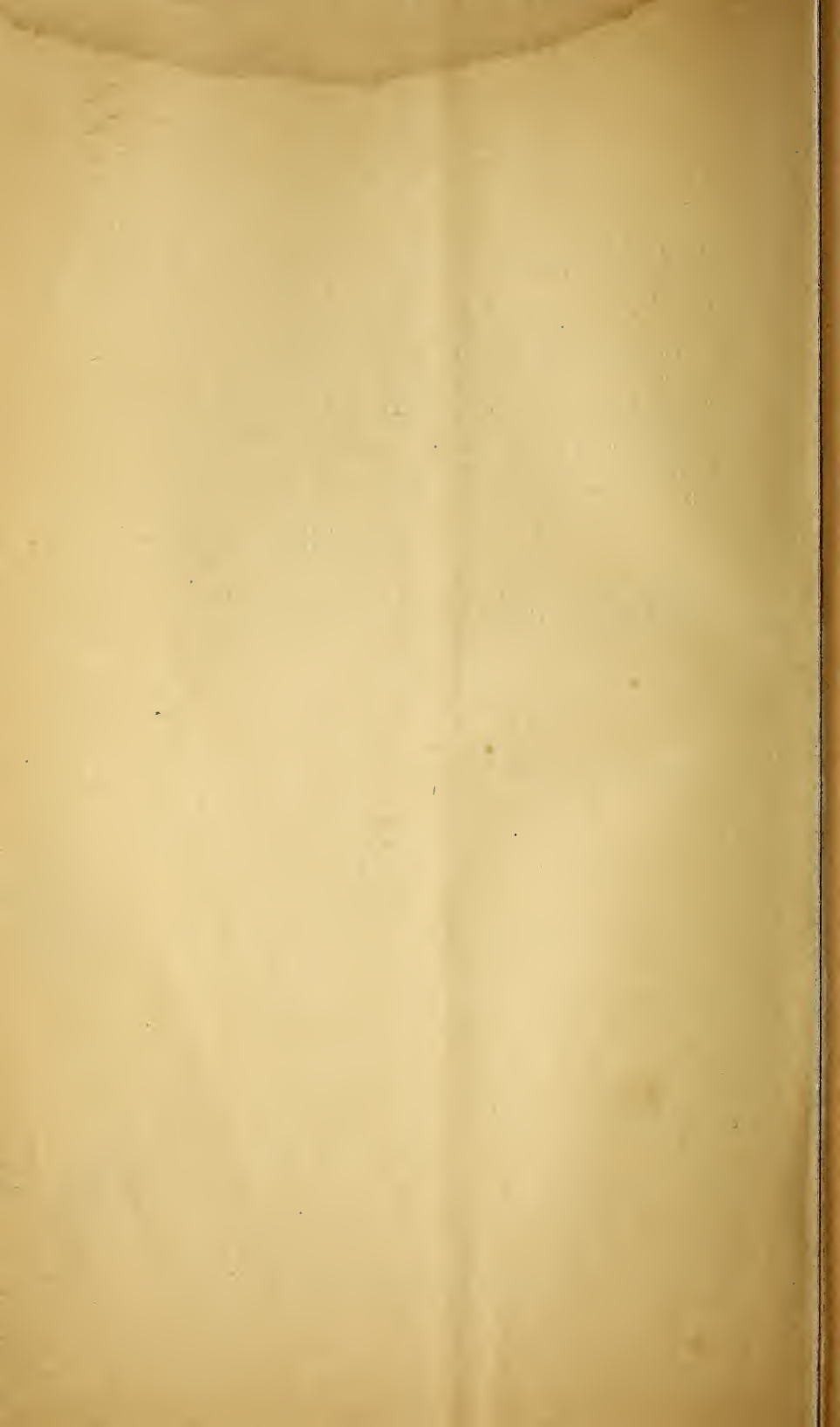
The selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters in said town and hearing and deciding upon the application of persons claiming to have their names entered upon said list at the Town House at eight o'clock in the forenoon, on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-ninth day of February, 1896.

J. S. BURRILL,	} Selectmen	
I. M. BATES,		of
N. R. PACKARD,		Corinna.

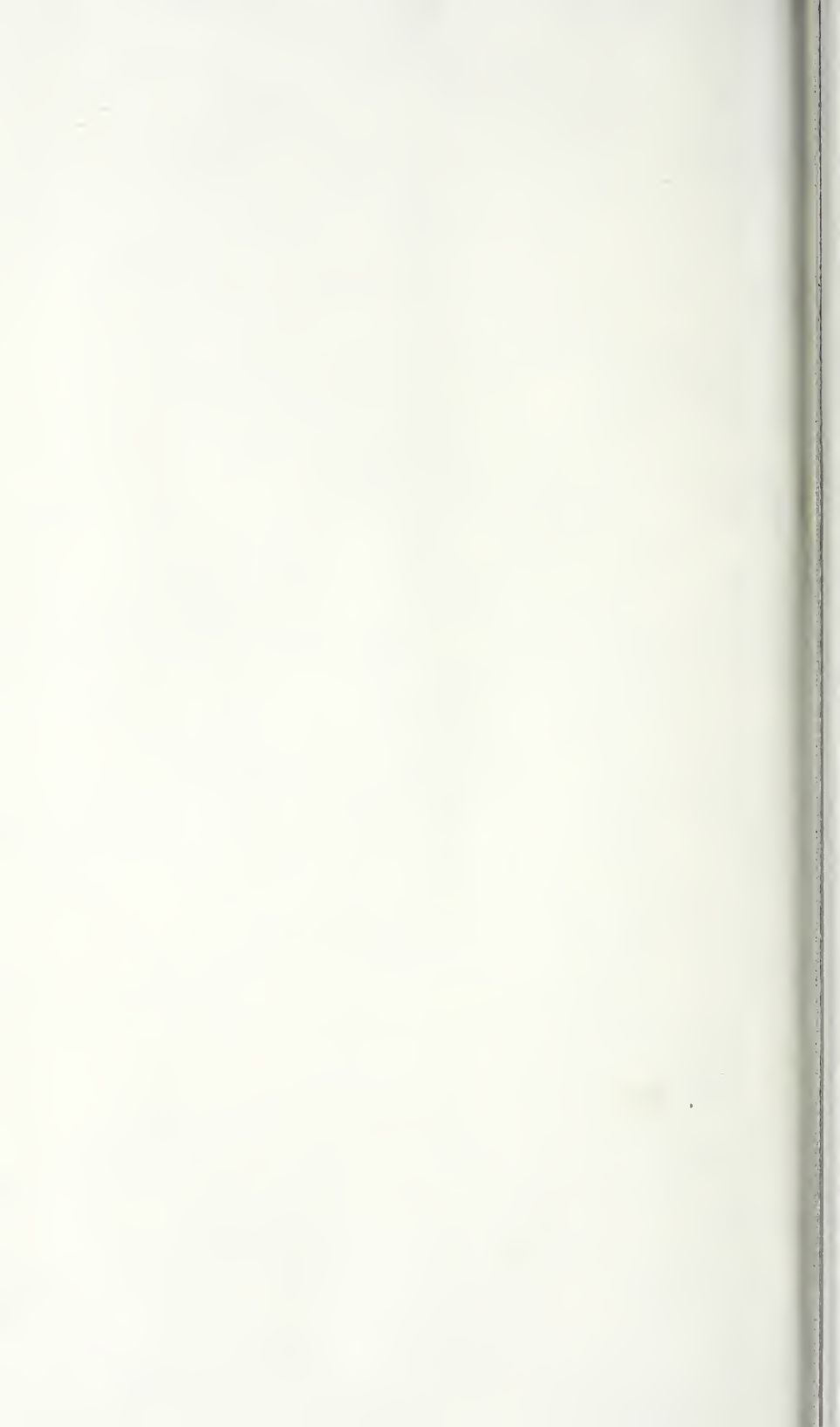
A true copy. Attest:

H. J. SEAVEY, Constable of the town of Corinna.









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